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bringing in contact of at least said area of the optical fibre with monomeric and/or oligomeric precursor materials give a layer or a coating of said monomeric and/or oligomeric precursor materials on at least said area

curing the layer of the monomeric and/or oligomeric precursor materials

10. (Amended)Method according to claim 8, wherein the monomeric and/or oligomeric prrcursor materials are aligned by a magnetic field in the fibre axis direction before or during curing.

11. (Amended)Device obtainable by a process according to claim 8.